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## LATEST EDITION

### GOSCHEN'S TACT.

THE DEBATE IN THE COMMONS ON LABOURERS' MOTION.

The Bad Break Made by the "Times"—An Apology to Herbert Gladstone—A Actor Mansfield Outwits Bandmann—Denial of the Report of the Prospective Meeting Between Emperor William and Queen Victoria—The Forest Fires in Canada—Foreign News.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, August 3.—It was evident that the excitement in the Commons for the last few days could not be permanently maintained. But for Labourers' motion declaring the Times guilty of a breach of privilege, the debate yesterday would have been unusually tame and uninteresting. Labourers made no attempt to disguise the fact that he did not expect the House to take serious notice of the scurrilous abuse to which he called attention.

The speaker, Mr. Goschen, who is the best of his kind, as proved by his assertion that Gladstone joined in the four mouthed attacks, and Labourers was anxious to advertise the fact as much as possible. Goschen, who leads the House in the absence of Smith, showed much tact. All reasonable people agree with him that while the order against breach of privilege has never been received, it is far better to let it remain a dead letter. Almost every newspaper is full of breaches of privilege. The Parnell commission bill being brought on, a stampede occurred. So small was the attendance at first that a count out was attempted. In obedience to electric bells, however, members crowded in and the subsequent division showed in spite of the lateness of the season, over 500 members continue to attend to their parliamentary duties, putting the number of amendments, none of which were frivolous, after three days' discussion, is considered an ominous precedent of the times. The Times this morning speaks contemptuously of Mr. Goschen. But against no attempt to improve Redmond's definite charge. The Times urges that it is often obliged to condense speeches, and that nobody knows better than Mr. Goschen that it is always ready to open its columns to opposite views. The answer to this is that even the present debate has shown that the Times deliberately garbles reports, while the fact that it is ready to print Mr. Goschen's words proves nothing, since his position, both as statesman and publicist, makes his letters valuable copy in spite of the Times' insinuations that no statesman in England is less open than Mr. Goschen to suspicion of unworthy motives. The Times, by the way, showing magnanimity tardily, apologizes to-day to Herbert Gladstone for the charge of breach of privilege behind Mr. Goschen's back, yet quite recently when Harcourt conclusively disproved this charge, the editor out the letter down from two columns to a few lines and published it without comment.

MANFIELD AND BANDMANN.

A TALK BETWEEN MANFIELD AND BANDMANN for the priority of producing "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" has ended in victory for Manfield. Bandmann, having determined to forestall Manfield, the latter announced his appearance at the Lyceum a month earlier than intended and secured for rehearsal the Opera Comique, where his rival intended to appear. Almost at the last moment Bandmann announced a dress rehearsal at the Olympia Theatre, to-night, and Manfield, in consequence of the hiring of the theatre, refused to let Bandmann have the use of it. The production by Manfield to-morrow at the Lyceum will, therefore, be the first here. Bandmann will appear on Monday. To-day he has met the copyright difficulty partly by rewriting his version.

THE "STILL ALARM"

The "Still Alarm" was favorably received at the Princess Theatre yesterday, although the critics have a low opinion of the play. The fire engine and the fire alarm are the two main features of the play. The critic of the Telegraph says that Capt. Shaw's men have nothing to learn from New York firemen, but this is not the general opinion. The critic of the Times took the trouble to time the firemen getting out with the engines after the alarm, which required exactly twelve seconds.

England.

GLADSTONE AND HOME RULE.

LONDON, August 3.—Mr. Gladstone, in expressing his thanks to a Sheffield deputation for a handsome present on the occasion of his golden wedding, said that when he secured home rule for Ireland his political work would be finished.

EXPLOSION IN A FIRE-WORKS FACTORY.

A terrible explosion occurred in a fireworks factory at Wandsworth, a section of London, to-day. Several women who were at work in the building were killed.

THE RACES.

At the Goodwood meeting to-day the race for the Goodwood stakes was won by Mr. A. Taylor's aged bay horse, Stourhead. Mr. A. Taylor's 3-year-old brown colt, Clon O'Garra, was second, and the Duke of Beaufort's 4-year-old brown filly, Fealty, third. There were twelve starters.

THE NASSAU STAKES.

The race for the Nassau stakes, for 3-year-old fillies, was won by Mr. A. Taylor's bay filly, Zansibar, with Prince Soltykoff's chestnut filly, Love-in-Idleness, second, and Baron de Rothschild's chestnut filly, Princess Palatine, third. The other starters were Mr. Douglas Barclay's bay filly, Briar-Root; Lord Oathorpe's chestnut filly, Devote; Mr. W. Low's chestnut filly, Hallmark; and the Duke of Hamilton's brown filly, Nina. The betting was 5 to 1 against Zansibar, 5 to 2 against Love-in-Idleness, 10 to 1 against Princess Palatine, 6 to 1 against Briar-Root and 10 to 1 each against Devote, Hallmark and Nina.

THE CHICHESTER RACES.

The race for the Chichester stakes was won by Mr. H. T. Fenwick's 4-year-old chestnut colt, Southall. Mr. Warren's 3-year-old Shiloh, was second and J. T. Whipp's 5-year-old brown horse, Lyddington, third. The other starters were Mr. Manton's 4-year-old chestnut colt, Whistle Jacket; Lord Edward Somerset's 3-year-old bay mare, Clara; and Mr. T. Jennings' 4-year-old bay filly, April Fool. The betting was 4 to 1 against Southall, 5 to 1 against Shiloh, 10 to 1 against Lyddington, 7 to 1 against Whistle Jacket, 10 to 1 against Clara and 10 to 1 against April Fool.

THE MOLECOMB STAKES.

The race for the Molecomb stakes for 3-year-olds was won by Mr. Manton's chestnut

filly, Seclusion, by ten lengths. Baron de Rothschild's chestnut filly, Macarada, was second, and Mr. H. E. Reddington's chestnut filly, by Seclusion and Seclusion, was third. The betting was 5 to 2 against Seclusion, 10 to 1 against Macarada and 7 to 1 against the Seclusion filly.

THE INTERNATIONAL COPYRIGHT BILL.

DUBLIN, August 3.—The Typographical Provident Society has petitioned the various public bodies to endeavor to induce the British Government to use its influence with the American Government to secure the expunging of the objectionable clauses from the proposed international copyright bill, the enforcement of which would seriously injure the printing industries in England, Ireland and Scotland. The society demands that the British Parliament enact such laws as will prevent the disastrous consequences to thousands of artisans which the American bill forebodes.

France.

PARIS, August 3.—The President of the French Agricultural Society has made a report regarding the losses caused by the recent rains. He says that the hay has been destroyed and that the peasants have been compelled to kill their animals, being unable to feed them. He also says that the crops are ripe, that the potatoes are rotting and that the vintage this year will be inferior. He estimates the loss to agriculture at half a million of francs and says if the bad weather continues a month longer, the crisis will extend to enormous dimensions.

Germany.

BERLIN, August 3.—The rumors of a meeting between Queen Victoria and Emperor William at Baden are officially declared to be untrue.

The Dominion.

OTTAWA, Ont., August 3.—The city is completely enveloped in smoke from forest fires, which are raging in the surrounding country. St. Joseph's village of about 500 inhabitants, six miles from this city, is nearly surrounded and the residents are preparing to flee for their lives. It is believed that the village is doomed. Owing to the dry season it is impossible to check the fire, and some of the most valuable timber in the Ottawa valley has been swept clean by the devouring element. A telegram just received says that for the area of five miles around Canadian Junction on the Canadian Pacific Railway the fire has full control, consuming houses and everything in its path. The valuable forests along the mountain range in Eardly Township are burning toward the town of Aylmer, which is threatened. The loss is believed to have reached nearly half a million dollars with little prospect of the flames being got under.

THE GOVERNMENT WILL NOT ALLOW MORMON SETTLERS TO PRACTICE POLYGYNY IN THE NORTHWEST.

VIOLATION OF THE WASHINGTON TREATY.

ONTARIO, August 3.—It is claimed that the Dominion Government is investigating the capture of the ship Hull, for which the American Government in the treatment of Canadian vessels passing through American canals.

A HEAVY FAILURE.

Messrs. White, Joselin & Co., wholesale linen and drapery merchants, of 100, Broad Street, London, have failed. Their liabilities amount to about \$500,000.

FOR THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION.

Hon. Chas. D. Johnson, Secretary of the St. Louis Exposition, stating that the directors have decided to ask that the Ontario mineral exhibit now at the Ohio Central Exposition be sent to St. Louis. Mr. Drury will grant the request.

SITTING BULL'S CAPTOR.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, August 3.—J. L. Legare of Winnipeg has been named as the American Government agent at Regina and other testimony as to his claim to have assisted in the capture of Sitting Bull, for which he asks a large sum. He inveigled Sitting Bull's band into Canada.

MAKING GOOD TIME.

Blaine's Return Home—A Preacher in Trouble on Account of Politics.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, August 3.—The World this morning publishes the following cable:

On Board the City of New York, off Queens-Head, August 2.—We received a cable from Liverpool this morning of thirteen hours from Liverpool. There has been no attempt made as yet to make fast time. The night was very quiet, and the channel as smooth as a pond. Mr. Blaine sat on the deck until nearly 10 o'clock. He did not go on shore here this morning, although there was a bit of six hours for freight and mail. It is very sunny and calm, with prospects of a smooth and quiet voyage. Mr. Blaine and all the members of his family are happy at the prospect of returning home. Mr. Clement Grierson, the President of the line, telegraphs that the steamer will probably arrive at New York next Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Blaine has had perfect showers of letters and telegrams from friends.

The City of New York last night made an average of eighteen knots, with 15,000 horse power and seventy-one revolutions. She is guaranteed to make eight and one-half revolutions an hour with 15,000 horse power. The builders, under heavy penalties, have guaranteed that the passing from land to land should be made in five days and fifteen hours. She was delayed in Queens-town harbor until 3:30 p. m. to have some alterations made in her new machinery.

GEN. SHERIDAN.

The Sick Soldier's Condition Unchanged—Dr. Pepper Kn Route to Nonquitt.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., August 3.—There are rumors at Nonquitt that there is some change in Gen. Sheridan's condition. He seems to have reached a stage in his convalescence where no change can be perceived in forty-eight hours, or even in twice that period. As far as can be ascertained the improvement has been made during the last eighteen days at Nonquitt, and since then there has been hardly any perceptible alteration. He has become used to the routine of the sick room, and it fatigues him much less than previously. He reads the proofs of his book every day and sees the children in the evening. Dr. Pepper will arrive probably Saturday. There is an especial reason for his coming to Nonquitt. He saw Sheridan at his worst in Washington; saw him at Lewis about a month later, and now, when Dr. Pepper is on his way to see a patient, there is a convenient opportunity to visit Nonquitt. So say the physicians.

The Saratoga Races.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 3.—This was the third extra day of the race meeting here. First race—Purse \$300 for maidens 3-year-olds; one mile. The Bertha B. colt won, with Kentucky Ban second, Amos third. Time, 1:43 1/2. Second race, 3:30, winning penalties and non-winning maidens allowances; three-quarters of a mile. Lottie Wall won, with Elmira second; Hansen and Kernesse ran a dead heat for third place. Time, 1:15. Third race, purse \$400, of which \$50 to second; one mile and a furlong. Lelox won, with Maud second and Birthday third. Time, 1:37 1/2. Fourth race, selling; six furlongs. Pat Regent won, Mopsy second, third. Time, 1:39. The fifth race, the second division of the fourth race, Loretta second, and Ponsello third. Time, 1:15.

## ANOTHER HOPE

### HELD OUT TO THE MURDERER OF C. A. PRELLER.

The British Government Induced to Ask for a Stay of Execution at the Hands of Gov. Morehouse—The Request Arrives Through Secretary Bayard—How the Action Was Prompted—By Maxwell's Father—Gov. News for Landgraf From the Civil Courts.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

WASHINGTON, August 3.—The British Government has received a telegram from Secretary Bayard stating that a respite was requested in Maxwell's case, as both the murderer and his victim were British subjects. It was merely an informal request, very brief, and the only grounds given for the respite were that more time was wanted by Maxwell for advice in behalf of his life, and that as he was a British subject convicted under American laws and both Powers were friendly the request should be granted. Secretary Bayard stated that he had telegraphed the request to Gov. Morehouse, and that at the same time he telegraphed him notifying the Governor that the request had been made. Mr. Bayard is quoted as stating that, as Secretary of State, he receives all such communications from foreign Powers, but that he took no official action in the matter except to merely transmit the request, which he did without making any recommendations of any kind. The Governor of Missouri alone has jurisdiction in the premises and any action taken must be taken by him. It was not a question which could in his opinion be made national and the Governor of Missouri could not as he saw fit under the laws of his State, not being guided by any national or international law. Mr. Bayard further stated that he had been informed that the action of the British Minister was based upon a representation to him by an attorney in the case, who was recently in Washington (Mr. Fauntleroy), that a deep-grounded prejudice existed in Missouri against the prisoner. The President, or no one but the Governor of Missouri, had any power to act in the case, Mr. Bayard also stated, that a similar case arose about two years ago, when an American was convicted of murder in Canada. It was clearly shown to the mind of Mr. Bayard that the man was probably innocent and the American Government had a right to demand that the man be released. He stated that the British Government had a right to demand that the man be released. He stated that the British Government had a right to demand that the man be released.

MAXWELL'S ATTORNEYS.

Mr. Fauntleroy is still absent from the city but Mr. J. L. Martin is here. "That information is substantially correct," he stated when questioned about the matter. "I have been expecting this for several days. I am sure that the British Minister, Mr. West, acted on the representations made to him by Mr. Fauntleroy. He acted under instructions from Lord Salisbury, the British Foreign Secretary. The matter was brought before him by the British Minister. He acted on the other side. Minister West has no power to take such action on his own responsibility. He can only do so under instructions from the British Government. The people in England have a right to know the facts of the case. The British Government has a right to demand that the man be released. He stated that the British Government had a right to demand that the man be released.

DO YOU THINK GOV. MOREHOUSE WILL GRANT THE REQUEST?

"Most assuredly. There is no doubt about it. Why, Secretary Bayard has instructed him to do so."

"But Secretary Bayard explicitly states that he has forwarded the request to Gov. Morehouse without a recommendation of any kind."

"That is a mistake. He must have instructed Gov. Morehouse. Why, the British Government would not deal with a State. They would take no notice of it. They deal directly with the national government. You don't suppose they would have transactions with every sheriff, constable and official that might have some connection with a case? The British Government through its minister requests a full investigation into the case for the purpose of ascertaining whether a citizen of Great Britain has been outraged in the manner described to them."

"But suppose you get the respite, what can you do? There can be no new trial as was granted in the case described by Mr. Bayard. Maxwell's case has already passed out of the hands of the court. The Governor could only either commute the sentence or pardon him."

"No, I think there could be a new trial ordered. I think, though how I cannot at present state. A writ of some kind, I think, would be granted. I would have to look the matter up and see just what style of writ would be required. There must be some way of getting around it, for suppose after a case had passed through all the courts it should be learned that a juror or two or three jurors who sat in the case had gone in with an express determination to hang the defendant there would certainly be some remedy whereby a new trial could be secured. I am confident there is a way and you can state that we will save Maxwell yet."

"How long a respite will the Governor grant do you suppose?"

"He will not doubt grant plenty of time as the whole case will have to be thoroughly looked into and the entire record gone over again, I presume."

"Have you any new points to present to the Governor in behalf of your client in case the request is granted?"

"I have new points which have only come into my possession within the past few days—points which I have not had time to prepare. I am sure that they are so strong that they will secure a commutation for Maxwell almost beyond peradventure of doubt. What they are I am not at liberty to state, but they are so strong that they would astound you if you were told them. They are strong enough to make any Governor after his decision."

"Do these points tend to show the innocence of Maxwell?"

"They are not in regard to his guilt or innocence, nor have they anything to do with the action of the courts. We are bringing up matters on which the courts have already passed."

"Then your points must be in connection with the trial upon which the courts have not yet been called to?"

"Now you hit exactly."

"I can tell you nothing further. Suffice it to say that they are amazing. I have all along been hopeful in this case and I am now more hopeful than ever. The American people believe in giving fair play to everybody, be they white or black, native or foreigner, Christian or pagan. I have always had confidence in them displaying that spirit and I have no doubt that they will do so in this case."

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must be innate in him as it is in all Americans.

CIRCUIT ATTORNEY ASHLEY GLOVER remarked: "I can not say that I am entirely surprised at the interference of the British Minister. I have no doubt but the case has been grossly misrepresented to him and he has been led to believe that Maxwell had had no chance for his life. Those misrepresentations have been made in our very presence, so I have an idea what statements must be made in our absence."

"It is claimed that Mr. Fauntleroy did not get Mr. West to interfere, but influence was brought to bear on Home Secretary Salisbury, who ordered Minister West to interfere. What is the basis of this? He would have been hanged and forgotten long ago if he had committed the crime over there. See what justice the British Government grants an Irishman charged with a political crime. He is hurried on to his death with the merest mockery of a trial. I don't see any necessity of Gov. Morehouse granting a respite on this application of Minister West. Some grounds should be stated besides that he wants further time to work for his life. He has already been given over three years' understanding, however, that Maxwell's attorneys have some new corroborative evidence to support some of their points. What is it I do not know, nor do I know the nature of the point the testimony is corroborative of, but I understand it is nothing concerning his guilt or innocence. If it is not I cannot see what its value will be, as a new trial cannot be granted."

"Mr. Martin claims it can be writ."

"There is no way of granting him a new trial and all claim that there is are nonsense. I still firmly believe that Maxwell will hang. I see no reason why the Governor should go back on his decision."

"You say you were not much surprised by Mr. West's action. Why not?"

"Well, I had heard some days ago that they had new corroborative evidence and that they were endeavoring to secure the interference of the British Minister."

"If the respite is granted by Gov. Morehouse will it not be a long one?"

"I give no occasion for a long respite. A week or two is all that will be granted. I am sure. The witnesses and jurors in this case have not yet been paid and it should be concluded so that they can receive their money. Talking about petitions, I see that 'Hinky' Morgan, with all his terrible record as a crook and desperado, presented a petition on his behalf signed by over two thousand names. That shows the value of petitions. You can get them for nothing. I should like to see the list of names in Maxwell's case. I would like to see the list of names in Maxwell's case. I would like to see the list of names in Maxwell's case."

Instead of giving up the fight after the refusal of Gov. Morehouse to commute the sentence of Maxwell, his attorneys, Messrs. Martin and Fauntleroy, racked their brains to discover some avenue of escape. The case was first suggested that Mrs. Brooks and Miss Brooks should visit Sweet Springs, where the entire Marmaduke family now reside and endeavor to induce them to use their influence with Gov. Morehouse to persuade him to reconsider his determination. This plan, however, was abandoned, and it appeared as if nothing further could be done to rescue Maxwell from the hangman's hands. About a week ago, however, John I. Martin conceived the idea of endeavoring to secure the interference of the British Government, and called S. N. Brooks, the father of the prisoner, to obtain an audience with Lord Salisbury, state the case to him and ask that he request the United States Government to secure a reprieve for Maxwell in order that his alleged crime might receive a more complete investigation. A remark made some months ago by Lord Salisbury-West, the British Minister, in Washington, to the effect that he authorized so to do by the Foreign Office he would closely look into the circumstances attending Maxwell's case, gave the idea of securing British governmental interference to Mr. Martin. He instructed Brooks to lay special stress in his statement of the case to Lord Salisbury upon the eminence of the lawyers who considered the sentence passed upon his son an unjust one, and to particularly dwell upon the point that one of them, Col. James O. Broadhead, had been a candidate for the Vice-Presidency and the Attorney-General. Brooks took no time in obtaining an audience with the British Minister, laid the case before him, and yesterday sent a telegram to Mr. Fauntleroy, throwing the first ray of hope upon the fate of his son that has cheered him since the refusal of Gov. Morehouse to interfere. Mr. Fauntleroy is not in the city, having gone to Virginia, but the telegram was opened by Mr. Martin. The dispatch read:

The British Government has been ordered to interfere.

This latest endeavor was kept secret, to escape the bitter interference which has already done much to prejudice the prisoner's case.

THE NEWS AT JEFFERSON CITY.

Yesterday the following telegram addressed to Gov. Morehouse was received at the Capitol from Secretary of State T. F. Bayard: "I forward you by mail to-day application of the British Government for respite in the Maxwell case."

The Governor possesses no further information concerning the matter, and as yet can give no idea as to what course he will pursue. He has gone to the northern part of the State and is not likely to return before Saturday.

Simply a Petition.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 3.—Secretary Bayard to-day transmitted to the Governor of Missouri a request for respite for the condemned murderer, Brooks, alias Maxwell. This request was transmitted to the State Department by Sir Lionel Sackville West, the British Minister. Secretary Bayard said to-day that this action possessed no special significance. Maxwell's friends prepared a petition and forwarded it to the British Home Department, by which it was referred, through the Foreign Office, to Minister West. Receiving no instructions from his Government, Sir Lionel simply endorsed the petition as forwarded through the usual routine and sent it to Secretary Bayard for official reference to the Governor of Missouri. "In other words," said the Secretary, "Maxwell's friends in England have simply petitioned the Governor of Missouri, and the petition has made its way through the usual diplomatic channel."

LANDGRAF'S LAST HOPE.

The Sheriff Must Show Cause for His Refusal to Call a Jury.

S. S. Bass, attorney for Henry Landgraf, who is sentenced to be hanged on August 10, made a final effort in behalf of his client this morning by appearing before Judge Luke in Chambers with a petition that a writ of habeas corpus be issued upon the ground that the ordinance summoning a jury to pass upon the sanity of the condemned man. The section of the ordinance defining the powers of the sheriff in the matter has already been published. It states that it is well known, that the Sheriff 'may' summon a jury in such cases, but according to the construction generally placed upon its meaning, such action is wholly optional with the Sheriff and is left to his discretion. The petition filed by Mr. Bass asserts that Mr. Harrison has acted arbitrarily and without cause in his refusal to call a jury, and that he has precedent for his action analogous to the case in hand. The Supreme Court having decided that in matters of public policy the word 'may' does not necessarily involve option, but should be construed as 'shall.' The attorney holds that the evidence he can produce of Landgraf's insanity from the time sentence was passed upon him is prima facie, but that whether five or fifty affidavits be produced, the effect has been produced. The Sheriff has been equally obstinate. Under circumstances he thinks his client should be given the benefit of the most favorable construction to be placed upon the 'may' of the ordinance. Judge Luke consented to issue an order, returnable on Monday morning,



## GIVEN THE TIP.

## THE TWENTY-SECOND WARD FRANCIS CLUB WILL USE THE POLL-BOOKS.

An Example Which Will Probably Be Followed in Other Wards and Settle the Controversy—The Regular Weekly Row in the Twenty-Second Ward—Indorsed With Difficulties in the Tenth—Political News—Notes.

Recorder of Voters Henry W. Williams said this morning in regard to the poll book difficulties: "The Central Committee has not yet called upon me for the purpose of making arrangements for obtaining the registration lists for the coming primaries, but I think that my plan will be adopted and base my conclusions on the action of the Democratic club which was organized in the Twenty-second Ward last night. The club is undoubtedly a representative Francis club, as Mr. M. J. Murphy was elected chairman, and Mr. Michael Fanning secretary. At the meeting last night Johnstone Rogers, chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, was present and instructed to inform me that the club would pay the salaries of deputies put in charge of the books in the various precincts. This I take as an indication that the action of the club will be a precedent which the rest will follow, and all of the committees who have been holding off from sheer obstinacy will come down from their perches and fall in with my plan without further difficulties."

## A Francis Caucus.

A meeting of the supporters of Mayor Francis was held last night at Justice Spaulding's office. There were about one hundred Democrats present. Reports from workers in the Francis cause from all over the city were received and read. It was reported that Barney Thomson of the Seventh Ward was not in sympathy with Mayor Francis. A strong Glover movement in the Third Ward was announced. On motion of Ed Butler the various ward organizations were instructed to report the names of the men to be run as Francis delegates at the next meeting.

## The Bloody Twenty-Fourth.

The Twenty-fourth Ward Democratic Club held a lively meeting last night at the corner of Cass and Glasgow avenues. Wm. Freudenau, the editor of a Sunday paper in which an article about the "Big Thirty-three" holding a caucus in the private residence of P. C. Connor had been printed, reiterated the statements in the paper, and when he concluded the address Mr. Edward Skinner accused him of being no Democrat. A great hubbub ensued and some bad language was indulged in. During the dispute Capt. Guthrie informed Chairman O'Keefe that he wished to resign the Chairmanship of the Executive Committee and his resignation was accepted. The following committee to select delegates was appointed: Pat Griffin, W. J. Sullivan, John T. Fitzgerald, Hugh T. Patterson and James Byron.

## Anti-Francis Feeling in the First.

The meeting of the First Ward Claiborne Club was addressed last night by Messrs. Pat Brown, President Hackett of the Second Ward Anti-Francis Club, and Bryan Rudd. All the speakers were decidedly opposed to Mayor Francis and commented on his administration of city affairs with great freedom. Mr. Hackett urged a consolidation of all the anti-Francis clubs in the ward and suggested that a single ticket be agreed on for the primaries.

## Trouble in the Tenth.

Several city employees, who are also members of the Tenth Ward Democratic League, gave notice yesterday that business of importance was to be transacted at the meeting of the club last night at Stolle's Hall. When the members assembled last evening the business of importance was sprung on the assembled Democrats. It was an endorsement of the candidacy of William W. Francis for Governor. Assistant Clerk Ed Foeckel of the House of Delegates opposed the action as committing the club which had promised to be independent in the fight for the nomination. The resolution of endorsement was passed by a majority of about ten votes.

## The Green County Primaries.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch. SPRINGFIELD, Mo., August 3.—To-morrow the Democratic primaries will be held here for the selection of delegates to the Judicial Convention and the County Convention to select delegates to the Democratic State Convention. The town and county are being canvassed to-day by the friends of all the candidates, and the liveliest sort of hustling is being done. It is anticipated that the fight will be between Francis and Morehouse, but Glover is a very large quantity in the race and his vote will cut a little bigger figure than his sanguine opponents imagine. All of the candidates will be here in the morning and to-morrow will be the hottest primary day in the history of Greene County.

## Political Notes.

J. M. Seibert, State Treasurer, arrived in the city this morning and is at Hitt's.

The Eighth Ward Francis Club will hold an open air ratification meeting to-night at Tenth and Cass avenues.

The Fourth Ward Union Labor party, at a mass-meeting last night, elected the following delegates to the City Convention: Robert L. Vail, Wm. Anderson, E. H. Burrows and M. Napton. H. W. Bond, W. F. Macklin and others will address the meeting.

The Sixth Ward Republican Club held a lively meeting at Benton Hall last night, as could be conducted in the high temperature of the evening. They were addressed by C. J. Filley, Mat Reynolds, John H. Korman and C. Gudulach.

The Twelfth Ward Union Labor party Club had a very lively meeting last night, at which all the local speakers were present, and elected P. C. Cochran, E. Lloyd and J. Schermer as delegates to the City Convention of that party, to be held on the 11th inst.

The Fourteenth Ward Jacksonian Democratic Club will hold their annual meeting to-night at 8 o'clock sharp at their headquarters, southeast corner of Twenty-first and O'Fallon streets. All the members are expected to attend, as business of importance is to be transacted.

## Big Reductions on Account of Removal.

The firm of Boyd & Co. at 300 North Fourth street are making tremendous reductions on fine men's furnishings. Underwear, hosiery, neckwear, handkerchiefs, etc., at half price.

## Paper Mill Burned.

CINCINNATI, O., August 3.—The George Friend paper mill at Lookland, O., was discovered to be on fire at 5 o'clock this morning. As there is no fire department at Lookland the building burned without hindrance, making a total loss. It was a frame building. The loss is \$40,000; well insured.

## North St. Louis.

Mrs. W. Steekman and Miss Nellie Hays of North St. Louis are visiting friends at Eureka Springs.

There are no indications of an early start-up of the Fran & Bros. Furniture works. There were twenty-seven cases in the Second District Police Court this morning, but all were for very ordinary offenses. Christian Tamulor, on charge of maintaining a nuisance, was fined \$50 by default.

The funeral of Officer Michael Moloney will take place at 3 o'clock to-morrow from his late residence, No. 1277 Howard street.

The body of George Wellman, the boy who was drowned yesterday evening at the foot of St. Louis avenue, was recovered this morning by Stewart Munby of No. 216 North Second street. The boy's parents reside at No. 2710 North Nineteenth street.

## REAL ESTATE.

## A New Suburb Opened on a New Plan—Notes of Sales To-Day.

Regal place is a new subdivision of seventy-four lots of 25x125 feet each. It is located on the Oak Hill road upon an elevated site where the owners say lots should sell at from \$7 to \$10 a foot. In order to create a demand for this property it is proposed to place it in the hands of a stock company to be organized with a capital of \$5,000, divided into 500 shares of \$10 each. From the proceeds of the sale of this stock the plan is to appropriate \$1,000 of the money to be used for making improvements. When this has been done it is estimated that the ground will have cost the original stockholders \$3.50 per front foot. Shareholders in the company are to have the first choice of lots and as an incentive for them to purchase they are to have such lots as they may want at 20 per cent under market price, their stock to be accepted at par in payment for the land.

George Shields reports the sale of two 25-foot lots numbered 3 and 9 on the south line of Nashville avenue, in North Clifton Heights, at \$7.50 a foot to E. R. Souther, who now has a two-story frame dwelling in course of construction on the property.

The property purchased for \$12,000 by Peter A. Raga through the agency of Booth, Barada & Co. from William Glasgow consists of four three-story, ten-room dwellings, Nos. 1400, 1402, 1404 and 1406 Papin street, the frontage being 704 and the depth of the premises 155 feet.

F. Hammett sold the entire Easton avenue front of the property known as Cora place at \$20 a foot to John Q. McDonald, of the city and Wm. McCane, proprietor of the Lewis Hotel of Gunnison, Colo. The property has a frontage of 281 by 135 feet, and is to be improved with business houses.

## FAT BASE BALL.

Positions in Which the Half-Tonners Will Play To-Morrow.

The arrangements for the fat men's base ball game at Sportsman's Park Saturday afternoon are now complete. The game will be played for the benefit of the Fresh Air Mission. Capt. Jones' nine will be apportioned as follows: Pitchers, Jack Schauf and Paul Young; catcher, Dan Taylor; first base, D. H. Steigler; second base, Wm. A. Hobbs and Clem Weick; third base, David Nicholson and Frank Weick; short-stop, Lou Jones; right field, Chas. W. Meyer and Albert A. Hall; center field, Richard E. Riemann and Thomas Ward; left field, W. C. Schramm and Thos. Skidmore. Captain Spiekemann will play his men in the following positions: Pitchers, B. E. Spiekemann and Frank Spiekemann; catcher, James V. Byrne; first base, R. F. James; second base, J. A. Duffry and Jos. Carr; third base, Thos. Bell and Jos. Pritchard; short-stop, Joe. O'Connell; right field, Thos. Morris and William Gessling; center field, J. P. Farrington and E. Walschek; left field, John and Suter and J. Byrne. Umpire, Col. A. W. Straub; Judge Advocate, H. Clay Sexton; Scorer, John G. Martin; Committee, Jacob Wuerstbacher, Eddie Busch, Julius Winkelmeier and Margaret Forster; Surgeon's Corps, A. V. L. Brokaw, M. D., Otto Forster, D. C. Artch, J. Gochet, M. D., and H. E. Ahlbrandt, M. D.

## CASUALTIES.

The Storm in Chicago—Killed by a Cable Car—Boys Drowned.

CHICAGO, Ill., August 3.—During the severe rain storm of last evening the La Salle street tunnel under the Chicago River filled with water to the depth of three feet at the lowest point. The tunnel is used by the North Chicago cable road, and travel was impeded until the water was pumped out. In Lakeview, a northern suburb, a boy was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Two houses were also struck and demolished. The flag-staff on the top of the Bryan building on La Salle street was shattered by a bolt and the inmates of the building were badly scared.

## On a Wrecked Vessel All Night.

CHICAGO, Ill., August 3.—The pleasure yacht Rambler of St. Joe, Mich., was caught in last night's storm in the middle of Lake Michigan and capsized. Capt. Rickaby, his son and two sailors clung to the wrecked vessel all night and were rescued in an exhausted condition by a passing steamer this morning and brought to this port.

## Drowned While Bathing.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch. MONTICELLO, Ill., August 3.—Two sons of Joseph Welch were drowned in the Sangamon River, just north of here, last evening, and one of them was brought to life again by the physician. The other, aged 10 years, was beyond recovery. They had gone into the stream to bathe.

## Boy Drowned.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch. CHILLICOTHE, Mo., August 3.—Harry Williams, the 15-year-old son of Geo. Williams of Utica, was drowned last yesterday afternoon while bathing in Grand River, two and a half miles southwest of here.

## Killed by a Cable Car.

ST. PAUL, Minn., August 3.—Corporal Ford, Third Infantry, from Fort Snelling, in attempting to board a cable car last evening fell under the car and was killed.

## RAILROAD NEWS.

Carnegie to Build a Private Road—A Big Sale of Stock.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., August 3.—Andrew Carnegie and his partners are completing arrangements to have their own railroad from the great Edgar Thompson steel plant at Bessemer, near here, to the lakes. This will necessitate the building of over sixty miles of new line from Bessemer to Minerva, O. There the line will connect with the Cleveland, Youngstown & Alliance Railroad, which is already operated by Carnegie Bros. & Co. This latter line runs to Painesville, O., on the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio Railroad, within a few miles of Lake Erie. It will be extended to the water's edge to receive the thousands of tons of ore from lake barges that are consumed by Carnegie's mammoth blast furnaces. So far as known the new road is purely a private enterprise of Mr. Carnegie. The ore tonnage and other shipments to and from the Edgar Thompson plant and the other Carnegie works in Pittsburgh are ample to make the new line a paying institution, independent of other freight and passenger traffic. Railroad engineers who ought to know say that, aside from the two river bridges, the line can be built for \$30,000 a mile. Its total cost, independent of rolling stock, will be over \$2,000,000.

## Big Sale of Stock.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., August 3.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the New York, Cresson & Clearfield Railroad Co. in this city yesterday the stock of Pittsburgh parties in the road, comprising the Atterbury interest of \$5,000 shares, was transferred to Morton, Bliss & Co. of New York, giving them controlling interest in the road. The consideration was about \$50,000.

## The L. &amp; N. Case.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., August 3.—The Interstate Commerce Commission announced this morning its decision on complaint of the Kentucky & Indiana Bridge Co. against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co. The commission holds that complainant is a common carrier and the defendant is bound to give it equal facilities for interchange of traffic with other Commission-regulated carriers. Dissatisfied. Opinions will be filed in the case hereafter at Washington.

Superior Men's Furnishings at Half Price.

Go to Boyd's, 300 North Fourth street, for low-priced furnishings. Men's underwear, hosiery, suspenders, neckwear, etc., at half price.

## The Cleveland Races.

CLEVELAND, O., August 3.—The 2:15 class (unfurnished), fourth heat: White Stocking, first; Loretta F. second; T. T. S. third. Time, 1:25.

## IN SOCIETY.

## THE SUMMER MOVEMENTS IN ST. LOUIS SOCIAL CIRCLES.

News and Notes Gathered To-Day in Local Circles—Where People Are and Where People Are Going—Notes from the Sea Shore and the Mountains—Personal Mention.

Mrs. E. E. Souther is spending the summer at Lakes.

Miss Virginia Carpenter has gone to Keokuk, Io., to visit her aunt.

Mrs. Dwight Treadway and family are now located at Frontenac, Minn.

Miss Beale Embree is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George Kerr of Kansas City.

Mrs. I. M. Weiner and family are spending the summer at Ocean Grove, N. J.

Mrs. Ed Farish and children are spending the summer season in Canada.

Mrs. R. B. Sheridan and children are spending the summer at Beaver Dam, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Middlebrook are spending the summer in Denver.

Mrs. Dave Eiselein and family are spending the summer at Jennings Station.

Miss Jennie Maltby is spending the week with friends at Edwardsville, Ill.

Mrs. W. B. Thompson and daughter are spending the summer at the lakes.

Mrs. C. C. Johnson and Mrs. F. H. Hunt are summering at the Colorado Springs.

Miss Berenice Trisler has gone to the seashore, to be absent until September.

Miss Louise Morris has gone to Genesee, N. Y., to visit the family of Judge Treat.

Mrs. Julia C. Breckenridge is spending the summer with friends in Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rogers have been making a protracted visit to Eureka Springs.

Mrs. Wm. Keane and daughter are spending the month of August at Eureka Springs.

Miss Lena Bolineine has been spending the past week with friends at Eureka Springs.

Mrs. F. X. Marrot of South St. Louis is entertaining Mrs. L. Graham of Kansas City.

Mrs. E. B. Hinson and Mrs. W. A. Adams are to-day for the Colorado resort.

Mrs. Adolph Dreyer and family are with a party of friends summering at Lake Geneva.

Miss Fanta Haywood left on Wednesday evening to join a party of friends at Eureka Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Drew and Miss Ida Thurman have gone to St. Paul and the lakes.

Mrs. Walter C. Carr is spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Zimmerman, at Seaside, Cal.

Mrs. Dr. Van Studdiford and daughters are spending the summer in Canada, near Montreal.

Miss Mabel Beers will spend the remainder of the summer at Chicago and the Northern lakes.

Mrs. John O'F. Clark and family will go to-day to spend the remainder of the summer in Arcadia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vernon, nee Frost, are located at the old Graham mansion for the summer.

Mrs. Agloe Valle has joined the St. Louis colony at Narragansett Pier and will be absent until fall.

Mrs. J. H. Storer left last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Lothar at Prairie Du Loup.

Mrs. John C. Kupperle and family left on Thursday for Beaver Dam, to remain until September.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Foster will return home the latter part of this month from a tour of Colorado.

Mrs. Louis Graft and friends have gone to Forestburg, Ill., to visit friends during the heated term.

Mrs. Edgar Tilton leaves with her family to-day to spend the remainder of the summer at Ocean Grove.

Miss Alvina Varrellman left on Wednesday evening from an extended trip to Baltimore and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Chambers are spending the summer quietly at their country home near Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thaw and Miss Dixie Thaw left last night to spend the month at Narragansett Pier.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Whitsett will go this week to Lake Maxinkuskee to spend the month of August.

Mr. Robert Holmes has gone to Eya Beach to spend the summer. He is accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Anderson left last week to spend the remainder of the summer in the mountains of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Cunningham, who are making a Canadian tour, were at Prince Edward's Isle last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiesbrener are spending this week at Lake Umbagog, near Archaibald McIntyre at their country home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Turner are spending the summer at Lake Umbagog. There are quite a number of St. Louisans.

Mrs. J. N. Trissler and son left on Thursday evening for Mexico, Mo., to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. W. Nechols.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thornburg and little daughter have gone to Marblehead Neck on the Massasoit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Sullivan of 3028 Lucas place left last week for Geneva Lake, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Giesse have gone to Glenwood on Lake Minniewaka, where they will remain until September.

Mrs. J. C. Van Buren left on Wednesday evening for a short visit to Chicago.

Mrs. Dr. Charles Stevens of Lafayette avenue and Mrs. Eliza J. Dillon left on Thursday for a short visit to Chicago.

Mrs. Ike H. Tyler has returned to her home at Louisville, after a visit of a few weeks to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tyler.

Mrs. Wm. B. Anderson of Hotel Baret returned on Monday from a delightful round trip to Paducah on the New South.

Miss Mary Harner, who has been visiting relatives in South St. Louis, returned on Tuesday to her home in Trenton, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKim will leave to-day for Sweet Springs to spend the summer.

Miss Nellie McDonald accompanies them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander and sons from the South are now at Cape May, where they will spend the remainder of the season.

Mrs. Julia Hewitt has arrived from Ft. McHenry and will spend the summer at her home with her daughter, Mrs. Lucas Turner at Normandy.

Mrs. John N. Dyer, accompanied by her son Napier and her daughter, Miss A. Vail, has returned to spend the remainder of the summer at Narragansett Pier.

Mrs. Huguette and her daughters, Misses Emma and Clara Higgins of Nashville, Tenn., have returned home after a delightful visit to friends in St. Louis.

Mrs. Rebecca Moreton of Vandeventer place, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Hernes, are at Magnolia Beach. The month of August they will spend in the White Mountains.

Mrs. John H. Overall and family, who have been spending the past six weeks with her mother at Columbus, returned yesterday to her home at Thirtieth and Pine.

Miss Ella Beers and Miss Bard of Sedalia returned yesterday from a trip to Upper Arrow Lake. They spent a few days at Sedalia and returned yesterday to Sedalia.

Mrs. M. E. Morrison will return next week from St. Louis, where she was called on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Clayton, who is now rapidly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkinson have returned from a visit to their mother, Mrs. Ewing, at Jefferson City, and have rented a furnished house at Ferguson, where they will remain until fall.

Mr. Wm. E. Burr left on Wednesday morning to join his wife and daughter, Miss Lila Burr, who are spending the summer in Washington, D. C., where their son, Lieut. Burr, is stationed.

Miss Laurie Smith left last night for Niagara Falls, where she will spend a few days with friends. Afterward she goes to the seashore, and will join her mother later at Ocean Grove, where Mrs. Smith is spending the summer.

The "Fat Men's Base Ball Game" for the benefit of the Fresh Air Mission is due to be quite a society event, since the ladies in all parts of the city are taking a lively interest. Quite a large number of tickets have been disposed of.

Miss Elizabeth Connor, who is visiting this week Mrs. Capt. John Oram of Chicago, will leave next week accompanied by Mrs. D. C. Gray and Mr. Oram to visit her mother and make the tour of the St. Lawrence River and the Thousand Islands, and make a visit to her

relatives, Col. George Renfrew and family of Banquet Place, Ontario. She will not return home before October.

Mrs. Davis of Natchez, Miss., arrived this week to be present at the marriage of her son, Miss Mary Frothing, to Judge Miller of the Supreme bench of Colorado. She is now the guest of Miss Josephine Frothing of Washington avenue, near Thirty-ninth.

Col. and Mrs. E. C. Moore have gone to Washington City for a short visit, when they will return to St. Louis. They are on their way to the office of United States Consul. The new think of making Mexico their home in the future.

## A Rich Harvest Field.

For those who wish to buy fine Diamonds, Watches, Silverware, Music Boxes and Silk Umbrellas, will be the great removal sale of the Method & Jacard Jewelry Co., corner 4th and Locust, which commences next Monday, and the firm propose to make extraordinary sacrifices rather than move the goods. Out-of-town merchants should be particularly interested in this sale.

## AMONG THE BROKERS.

A Dull Market—Stocks Sold and Prices Obtained To-Day.

Mining stocks were even more inactive than usual this morning and scarcely any sales were made.

A report was received from the Frisco to the effect that the mine was looking better than ever and that work on the different levels was proceeding rapidly. The stock was 67 1/2 bid at which 700 shares sold, closing at 70 asked.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Golden Era will be held to-morrow afternoon at the office of J. J. Mulhally for the purpose of deciding what steps shall be taken in regard to raising funds to pay the debt on the mine and continue development work. The officers of the company state that the mine is in the hands of any suit brought as all creditors are satisfied that they are amply secured. The stock to-day was 17 1/2 bid, offered at 18 1/4.

Private information was received to the effect that the Cariboo vein was looking better than it has for some time past, and that if a small amount of money can be raised it will not be necessary to bond the mine. One thousand shares of stock sold at 16 1/4, and that price was bid for more.

Pat Murphy was in good demand, 25 1/2 bid for 600 shares.

Jumbo touched its lowest point to-day, being offered at 5 1/2 bid. It is understood that few if any of the stockholders will pay the assessments, and it is freely predicted that within a short time the mine will have to be sold under execution.

The Golden Chicken has been shut down, probably permanently. The stockholders are greatly disappointed, as the reports of the superintendent have universally been favorable. It is believed that the vein of the Gold King could be struck at a further depth of 200 or 250 feet, but funds are lacking to make the experiment. The stock was offered at 10, 8 and 7. Over \$50,000 has been expended on this property, one of the purchases being a fine mill. It is hoped the work may be recommenced at some time in the future.

One hundred Juniper brought 18 1/4. West Granite was 12 1/2 bid. Wire Patch was 20 bid; offered at 25. Three was bid for L. L. One hundred Mountain Key sold at \$1.70 and \$1.75 was bid for more. Buckskin was offered at 18 1/2 bid. Twenty-eight and three-quarters was offered for Black Oak. Silver Age was quoted at 38 1/4. Gold King was 25 bid. Thirty-one and a quarter was offered for San Pedro.

The semi-weekly shipment from the Granite Mountain amounted to 16 bars, containing 26,667 ounces of silver and 184 ounces of gold.

A telegram was to-day received from the Hope, stating that a shipment of 4,700 ounces had been made.

On Wednesday a fire broke out in the shaft-house of the Juniper mine, which did much damage before it could be checked. It was occasioned by a spark falling into a tar bucket, causing a fire on fire. The flames rapidly caught and spread, and almost totally destroyed the shaft-house. Water was soon turned on, and the flames finally were brought under control. No one was injured, although it was at first feared that some of the miners might have been killed. The damage caused with the shaft-house estimated at \$10,000. It is believed that the shaft-house chimney at the hoist may be saved, and it is not thought that the shaft will be abandoned, while it may be much less. The hoist will be at once replaced and the delay incident to be at once ended sixty days.

## Creve Coeur Lake.

The Missouri Pacific Railway runs six trains Sunday between St. Louis and Creve Coeur Lake Park, leaving Union Depot at 6 a. m., 8 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 3 p. m. and 4:30 p. m. The last train leaves the lake returning at 10 p. m. On Thursdays and Saturdays a special train leaves the lake at 9 p. m. Look out for special attractions every Sunday. Tickets are only 50 cents for the round-trip, and can be procured at 102 North Fourth street and Union Depot.

## MOD VIOLENCE FEARED.

Samuel Luckett Arrested at Dewitt, Ark., for the Murder of His Brother.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., August 3.—Advices from Dewitt, Ark., say: Samuel Luckett was arrested at that place yesterday and lodged in jail, charged with having murdered his brother, Felix G. Luckett, near that place on Tuesday night last. Luckett confesses his crime, but claims to have committed the deed in self-defense. He has, however, made several conflicting statements, and the murdered man's family is claiming that he has committed the crime. The affair has created intense excitement and mob violence is feared.

## 55 to Cincinnati and Return.

The Ohio & Mississippi Railway will run a grand excursion to Cincinnati and return on August 19, at \$5 for round trip, with limit of several days for staying. Tickets may be purchased now.

For tickets and further information call at O. & M. Ry. offices, 101 and 103 North Fourth street under Planters' House, St. Louis, Mo.

ROUND TRIP excursions to Keokuk, Io. The fine side-wheel steamers War Eagle and Gem City give excursions to Keokuk and return, leaving St. Louis every Friday and Saturday at 4 p. m. and returning, arrive at St. Louis Monday and Tuesday at 6 a. m. Fare for the round trip, including meals and berth, \$5.

## Mrs. Langtry to Retire.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., August 3.—Mrs. Langtry yesterday made the statement that this would be her last season



# HOT WEATHER.

TRICKS THE MERCURY HAS PLAYED TO-DAY.

A Heavy Rainfall That Had no Effect on the Heat—The Record of Yesterday—A Bitter Night—The Country Suffering—Sunstrokes and Deaths.

URING yesterday La Grasse, Wis., and Chicago had an experience similar to that of St. Louis on Wednesday. The weather had been warm at both places, when storms arose and rain fell, cooling the air greatly. At LaGrasse, during yesterday, the rain fell was 2.23-10 inches, and at Chicago the total amounted to 1 inch. An inch of rain is a good fall. In spite of this rain, however, the heat was not diminished, except for the time of the fall. Yesterday morning the rain La Grasse reported 60 degrees. This morning it reported 73 degrees at the opening of the day. Yesterday morning the heat was measured by 70 degrees at Chicago, and this morning the opening reading was 73. Hotter weather on top of the large rainfall means sunstrokes by the dozen, as St. Louis exemplified yesterday.

The local maximum temperature yesterday was 96, St. Louis being a fourth-class city as regards heat. The other high maximum temperatures were as follows:

City	Temperature
Concordia, Kan.	102
Omaha	102
St. Louis	96
Chicago	96
St. Paul	96
Minneapolis	96
Des Moines	96
Sioux Falls	96
Yankton	96
Sioux City	96
Waterbury, Conn.	96
Portland, Me.	96
Boston	96
New York	96
Philadelphia	96
Washington	96
San Francisco	96
Los Angeles	96
San Diego	96
Albany, N.Y.	96
Syracuse	96
Buffalo	96
Rochester	96
Albany, N.Y.	96
Syracuse	96
Buffalo	96
Rochester	96

The lowest class yesterday consisted of Duluth, Minn., and Marquette, Mich., whose maximums were 68. Forebode, Minn., reported a maximum of 68. To-day began warmly throughout the country. The hottest point of all was Pensacola, Fla., 84. St. Louis came next with 82. There were a number of other 82's, and 80 was seen frequently on the coast, but burning Concordia reported that at the early morning observation the mercury was only 74, above zero. No rain fell, and the cool breezes were playing about 80s and 60s. Seventy, 72 and 74 were Atlantic Coast temperatures. The whole of the day was not higher than that of yesterday. As there has been a little breeze all of to-day the temperature has seemed to be lower.

The indications, according to the Signal Service people in Washington, were this morning for local rains in Missouri, followed tomorrow by fair, cooler weather. The warmest prediction of yesterday was not fulfilled, as the record of to-day is not higher than that of yesterday. As there has been a little breeze all of to-day the temperature has seemed to be lower.

Last night was one of the warmest nights known in this section for many years. The following are the readings as recorded by the self-registering thermometer in the signal service observatory from 6 o'clock last evening until 6 o'clock this morning:

Time	Temperature
6 p.m.	90
7 p.m.	90
8 p.m.	90
9 p.m.	90
10 p.m.	90
11 p.m.	90
12 m.	90
1 p.m.	90
2 p.m.	90
3 p.m.	90
4 p.m.	90
5 p.m.	90
6 p.m.	90

The result was that to-day there were more sunstrokes and deaths than on any previous day.

The following readings are from the Post-Dispatch thermometer on the street level:

Time	Temperature
3 p.m.	97
2 p.m.	96
1 p.m.	96
12 m.	94
11 a.m.	94
10 a.m.	90
9 a.m.	84
8 a.m.	84
7 a.m.	82
6 a.m.	82

A startling case of heat prostration with fatal results came under the observation of the Dispensary physicians this morning. About 6 o'clock a call was sent from Ninth street and Franklin avenue, where an ambulance, there being a case of heat prostration, was sent to the Dispensary.

The patient was a woman who appeared to be another attack of prostration came on and the woman died within a few minutes. Dr. F. J. Burton, physician, said: "I have no doubt that the woman died of heart trouble and that the ineffectual treatment of the Dispensary physicians, which, in conjunction with the heat prostration, led to her sudden death."

An unknown man was overcome by the heat at 2706 Delaune street, about 9:30 o'clock this morning. He was sent to the City Hospital for treatment.

Four unknown men were taken to the City Hospital late yesterday afternoon, overcome by the heat. They were taken from in front of 461 Easton street, corner of Twenty-second and Chouteau avenue, Eighth and Market streets and in front of 223 North Broadway.

Mathias Stettin was treated at the City Dispensary for sunstroke yesterday afternoon, recovered partially and sent to the City Hospital.

Charles Smith, living on Davis street, was prostrated with heat while returning from work last evening.

John Conley of 201 Cass avenue was sunstruck last evening. He was taken to the City Hospital for treatment.

Wm. L. Thomas was overcome by the heat at the Cabanne avenue crossing of the railroad tracks late yesterday afternoon.

Leonard Buehler, driver of a furniture wagon, fell from his wagon at 408 South Broadway last evening, being overcome by the heat. He was taken to the City Hospital for treatment.

George Reker was taken to the City Hospital from Eighth and Hickory streets last evening, overcome by heat.

Jan. Block was treated for overheating at the Dispensary last night. He had fallen at Seventeenth and O'Fallon streets.

Jacob Joss, aged 25 years, an employee of

the Klausmann Brewery Co., was found dead about 8:30 o'clock to-day in a closet in the garden. His body was taken to Hoffmeister's livery stable, where it now lays to await the action of the coroner. It is supposed that death was overcome by the heat, causing death.

John Dreimann, a German 35 years of age and unmarried, was overcome by heat at 7 o'clock last evening on Twenty-second and Farrar streets. He was taken into Mrs. Fleming's residence, No. 232 Farrar street, where he died this morning. He resided at No. 284 Natural bridge road.

Four Fatal Prostrations.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., August 3.—The extreme hot weather prevailing here the past week has proved very fatal to out-of-door laborers. Wednesday no less than four persons were so overcome by the heat that they all died before morning.

Fatal Sunstroke.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch. CHAMPAIGN, Mo., August 3.—Rev. H. J. P. Kraus, pastor of the German Lutheran Church at this place, was found dead this morning at 6 o'clock in his sick-house. He is supposed to have died from sunstroke.

The Heat Killed Him.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch. FARMINGTON, Mo., August 3.—Frank Baden, a farmer's son, six miles west of this place, was found dead in his room this morning. The supposition is that he got too hot yesterday working in the blacksmith shop. He was a man of about 25 years of age and unmarried.

Much Suffering.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch. QUINCY, Ill., August 3.—The hot weather still continues and there is much suffering in this vicinity, especially among stock. No less than a dozen horses and mules have died from the effects of the heat during the present week, and there have been several cases of sunstroke in and about Quincy. The thermometer is slightly on the decline to-day.

Killed by Lightning.

By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch. MALDEN, Mo., August 3.—During a shower this afternoon Henry, a 14-year-old son of Widow Boyinger, two miles south of here was struck and instantly killed by lightning.

FRIENDLY NIGHT SHADES

Enable Two Unfortunate Real Estate Men to Reach Their Homes in Undress Uniform.

Two real estate operators whose moral reputations have heretofore been above reproach were caught in a very peculiar predicament a few nights ago and the circumstances were such that they were compelled to seek the evening shadows under garments to drapery their many forms.

The gentlemen were Col. A. K. Florida, known on the street as the real estate boomer, and Col. J. H. Florida, known as the "boomer" purchased from him a few days since. No one has the honor of these gentlemen's acquaintance would suspect that either of them would be in such a compromising situation when they were very artistic dressers—when they have the clothes to dress in, but in this instance, being deprived of tailor-cut suits they were forced to appear in their own door in the costumes of circus riders. On reaching home the gentlemen tried to explain their situation to the theory of the night, but the fitting lights were in keeping with the prevailing fashion at watering places. Seeing that a story only made matters worse the gentlemen made a full confession by admitting the truth that they had been robbed of all of their clothes by a party who had been sleeping in a Pullman coach on the Wabash road, between Jacksonville and St. Louis.

The Pullman company is investigating the case and promises to return the missing garments if found.

J. D. BARZONE FREE.

Released on a Writ of Habeas Corpus—A New Point Raised.

The case of J. D. Barzone, charged with being a fugitive from justice, came up for trial before acting Judge Paxson in the Court of Criminal Correction to-day. He was arrested here July 23 at the request of the New York authorities, who stated that he was wanted there for stealing twenty five barrels of coal, valued at \$300, from A. Lachman & Co. To stop habeas corpus proceedings the warrant charging him with being a fugitive from justice was issued. A regulation could not be obtained by the New York authorities, because under the laws of this State a man must be indicted by the grand jury before a regulation will be issued against him and there was only a warrant against Barzone. John I. Martin, his attorney, took the ground that he could not be held to await the action of the grand jury of another State, although the grand jury of this State might be accommodated to suit him. He also stated that the offense, and if there was a case against him, he could be held. After consulting with Charles F. Johnson Judge Paxson stated that he agreed with Mr. Martin that it would be an injustice to the defendant to hold him to await the action of the grand jury of another State. They of course had none and dismissed the case, Barzone walking off a free man. This scorching hot weather has caused death to set in and the neighbors state that the stench is so great that, despite the terrible heat they are compelled to keep their windows and doors closed and to sleep with the house all closed at night. Hollins' parents intend to bury him Sunday, being poor are now endeavoring to raise the necessary funds by subscription. Annie Yeager, Carrie Quirk and Mary Wenzel all living at 206 Gratiot street and Franz Holdener at No. 300 South Second street, are the complaining neighbors. Sanitary Officer Francis will be notified.

Neighbors Complain That the Body Is Decomposing in His Parents' House.

Patrolman Patrick Dunn reported at the Four Courts this afternoon that the body of Albert Hollins, the negro charged with the murder of Detective Fitzgerald, was still in the house of his parents, at 211 Gratiot street, on July 31 and it has been there ever since. This scorching hot weather has caused death to set in and the neighbors state that the stench is so great that, despite the terrible heat they are compelled to keep their windows and doors closed and to sleep with the house all closed at night. Hollins' parents intend to bury him Sunday, being poor are now endeavoring to raise the necessary funds by subscription. Annie Yeager, Carrie Quirk and Mary Wenzel all living at 206 Gratiot street and Franz Holdener at No. 300 South Second street, are the complaining neighbors. Sanitary Officer Francis will be notified.

Tennessee Elections.

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Close and Exciting.

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MARY HOOVER filed a petition for divorce in the Circuit Court to-day against Sylvester J. Hogan. They were married on December 31, 1886, and the plaintiff alleges as a cause for the petition the drunkenness of her husband and his failure to support her.

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**He Effects the Capture of Two Notorious So Called "Green-Goods" Dealers—Strong Evidence Against the Prisoners—A Shiel Gotham Youth Victimizes Jewelers—Mr Barrow and the Bogus Priest.**

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.  
NEW YORK, August 3.—At last two sawdust swindlers have been caught so neatly that it is believed that they can be convicted on half a dozen charges. One is the notorious J. E. McDewitt, aged 36 years, and the other, John H. Townsend, aged 34. They were captured

by Anthony Comstock, assisted by Agent Oran of the Society for the Prevention of Crime and Patrolman James Garrity of the Tombs Squad, at the corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Third avenue at noon yesterday. Some time ago Mr. Comstock received a complaint that O. Rowler, care Mr. Goodwin, Oriskany N. Y., was offering green goods and he opened correspondence with the swindler through the Post-office at McCollontown, Fayette Co.

Pa., and in reply to his first letter received the usual circular offering to sell "Is, Js, and Bs." Enclosed was the card of C. J. Rose, care J. Goodwin, Oriskany, N. Y. At Oriskany Mr. Comstock learned that the Postmaster had been ordered to send Rose's mail to Jess Goodwin, No. 97 Orchard street, this city. After a lapse of ten days another telegram was received in Oriskany, ordering the mail for

Agent Oram was put on track of the men and he soon learned that they were McDevett and Townsend; that the former lived at No. 1474 Park avenue, and the latter at 249 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and that they had received the bulk of their mail in a fish store, 1439 Third avenue, kept by a man named Miller. Mr. Oram later wrote Miller a note and the letter was written by Mr. Comstock addressed to Haigst left there by the postman delivered by Miller to McDevett and opened and read by him.

**CLOSING IN ON THE SWINDLERS.**  
McDevett has been known for some time to be at the head of a gang managed in opposition to the McGunn gang of this city and the Parmelee-Jones gang in Jersey City, and it was understood he was doing a big business. Having located the men Constock procured a

warrant from Justice Patterson, and yesterday took them in. On being arrested McDewitt took the officers to his flat, but his wife, a Boston girl, to whom he was married two months ago, was not visible. They then went to Townsend's apart-

ments, occupied by himself and a woman known as Clara Jones and Clara Stevens. Under the bed he found a large diary showing all the operations of the gang. Two letters were found, one addressed to David Dunn, Kendall Creek, McKean County, Pa., and the other to S. Bauer, Husband, Pa. On searching the

diary, W. S. Bauer was found to be known as "B92," and was down as a grocer. An entry showed that on June 3, he wanted the goods brought to Philadelphia, and the last letter received from him intimates that he had dealt in counterfeit, and he said: "I can get goods withi-

fifty miles or my place," and under the memoranda was the admonition, "wake up." David Dunn was down as "O, 119" and labeled a saloon keeper; and there was an entry dated yesterday, suggesting "wake up Europe-Sept."

John's sister called Haight "dear friend," and he wanted to pay \$100 cash and owe the balance for the State right of Pennsylvania. He was told that another man was after the State right, but he was deemed a safer agent and would be given the privilege for \$800 on account of its being a dull year because of the

presidential election.

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**CHEEKY AND SLICK.**

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**A Gotham Youth Who Patronized Jewelers  
With Worthless Checks.**

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.  
NEW YORK, August 3.—George Levy, a fresh young man, who says he is 19 years old, has been playing a clever confidence game on the jewelry men of Maiden Lane and John street.

"The old man," said he to young John Wentworth who was alone in the shop. "He

He selected a fine single stone diamond ring valued at \$120 and said he was the son of John R. Foley, the gold pen maker of No. 15 Broadway. He produced a check for the full

amount and handed it to the clerk. It was drawn upon the Mercantile National Bank of New York and made payable to the order of Mather & Wentworth. When Mr. Wentworth asked how he was to be sure that the check was all right, the swindler suggested coolly "Send up to the store now."

Tuesday he entered the diamond store of Charles W. Schumann, No. 24 John street, and said that his father, John R. Meeker, picture dealer, 84 Nassau, had decided to make a present of a gold watch. A number of watches were shown to him and he selected one priced at \$125. "Now I'll have that watch, you see if I

don't," he remarked to the salesman. "I'll go and see the old man and get the funds." Half an hour later he rushed into the store without coat or hat and panting for breath. "I want that watch and here is the money," he said, throwing a check for the \$125 on the counter. The

check was at the Mercantile National Bank, Broadway and Dey street, and like the others was found to be worthless. Mr. Bogart, the paying teller, said quite a number of such checks had been presented. The next day young Levy was in the Bowery, trying to pawn the watch for \$30. He was put under ar-

rest and searched. The pawn ticket for the single diamond ring was found upon him. A lot of blank checks upon the Mercantile Bank were also found in his pockets. Levy confessed to Judge Power yesterday that he was guilty. He was held in \$1,500 bail to stand trial for larceny.

**A BOLD SWINDLER.**  
In the Garb of a Priest He Swindles a  
Business Man.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.  
-QUEBEC, August 3.-E. C. Barrow was cleverly swindled by a pseudo priest in clerical attire calling himself the Redemptorist Father Hayes of Baltimore. He asked Mr. Barrow to purchase him 545 sterling in English

Barrow to procure him £20 sterling in English gold and bank notes, as he was about sailing for Liverpool. Mr. Barrow took the money in the shape desired to St. Patrick's presbytery and was met at the door by a lay brother of the order, who, when he asked for Father

Hayes shoved him into a room where his acquaintance of the morning was awaiting him. The swindler had arrived at the Presbytery but a few minutes before. He announced himself as Father Hayes of Baltimore and had asked for the Father superior, evidently well aware that the latter was not in

Mr. Barrow produced the money he had brought and counted it out to the stranger, who placed it in his pocket, saying: "I suppose you will be satisfied with a check of this house on their own bank?" He replied:

the room, saying he would bring the check. That was the last Mr. Barrow saw of him. After waiting fifteen minutes Mr. Barrow grew anxious. A realization of the real situation of affairs flashed both upon him and the lay brother. A search of the sur-

foundings and then of the church with which the presbytery building is connected was at once made, but in vain. In the church, however, they found the hat and cassock which the swindler had discarded as soon as they had served his purpose. No accurate description of him can be given the detectives, and the

are altogether in the dark as to his identity and whereabouts.

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**Another Bridge-Jumping Craak.**

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Mrs. Chas. H. Thornton and children of Los Angeles, Cal., are in the city visiting Mrs. Thornton.

H. Brady at 4364 Finney avenue.

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